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SUBJECT: NICHIRO GYOGYO KAISHA, LTD.

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PASS NATIONAL MARNE FISHERIES SERVICE, WASHDC

1. NICHIRO IS OLD, ESTABLISHED, DIVERSIFIED, AND REPUTABLE FISHING COMPANY. IT RANKS THIRD IN JAPAN NEXT TO TAIYO GYOGYO AND NIHON SUISAN. COMPANY ESTABLISHED MARCH 12, 1914. OTHER DETAILS FOLLOW:

2. ADDRESS: SHIN YURAKUCHO BLDG.,
1-11-1, YURAKUCHO, CHIYODA-KU
TOKYO, JAPAN

3. CAPITALIZATION: 7,350 MILLION YEN

4. BUSINESS: FROZEN FISH 51 PERCENT
CANNING 24 PERCENT
FRESH FISH 1 PERCENT
SALTED OR DRIED FISH 4 PERCENT
FISH KNEADED PRODUCT 5 PERCENT
FEED 6 PERCENT
LIVESTOCK 4 PERCENT

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OTHER 5 PERCENT

5. ANNUAL SALES: 83,200 MILLION YEN IN 1972

PRESIDENT: TAKESHI HIRANO

EMPLOYEES: 6,000

DOMESTIC SUBSIDIARIES:

NICHIRO HAS TOTAL OF 26 SUBSIDIARIES IN JAPAN. THEY INCLUDE,
AMONG OTHERS, TUNA FISHING FIRM, SHIPBUILDING FIRM, SHIPPING
FIRM, 4 CANNING FIRMS, 1 COLD STORAGE AND 1 COCA COLA BOTTLING
FIRM.

VESSELS OWNED: CRAB MOTHERSHIP 1

SALMON MOTHERSHIPS 3

TRAWL MOTHERSHIP 1

TRAWLERS 15

TUNA LONGLINERS 30

REEFERS 12

OVERSEAS JOINT LOCATED IN GUATEMALA,

VENTURES FOR FISHING, PHILIPPINES, GAMBIA,

FISH PROCESSING AND MORROCO AND U.S.

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